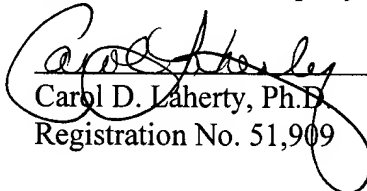


Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Version With Markings to Show Changes Made.**" Favorable consideration and allowance of the elected claims is respectfully requested.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

In the claims:

Claim 14 has been amended as follows:

14. (Amended) A method for determining the presence of a lung cancer in a patient, comprising the steps of:

- (a) obtaining a biological sample from the patient;
- (b) contacting the biological sample with an oligonucleotide ~~according to claim 8~~that hybridizes to a sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:1797, or a complement thereof, under moderately stringent conditions;
- (c) detecting in the sample an amount of an expressed polynucleotide that hybridizes to the oligonucleotide; and
- (d) ~~compare~~comparing the amount of polynucleotide that hybridizes to the oligonucleotide to a predetermined cut-off value, and therefrom determining the presence of the cancer in the patient.